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please prevent tar sands extraction in Utah

Dear Mr. Baker,

I am sure this must be a difficult position.

For me and my family, hiking--especially in Southern Utah has been one of our most enjoyed activities. Please preserve the environment in Utah.

Last October, I spoke with an Athabaskan elder who is suffering with her environment due to the degradation resulting from tar sands extraction. Please do not allow those same scars on our lands.

Tar sands are a short term solution to our energy needs with long term costs.

Thank you and all my best in your decision, Dee Downing

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What is to give light must endure burning.
- Victor Frankl

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